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Docket No.: 50432-642

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Minh Van NGO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 1701  
Serial No.: 10/662,525 : Group Art Unit: 2811  
Filed: September 16, 2003 : Examiner: Vu, Quang D  
For: INTERCONNECTS WITH IMPROVED BARRIER LAYER ADHESION

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2004. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.